IHI

Glenville Mercury

Volume 57 Number 23

#### **GLENVILLE STATE COLLEGE**

## Budget Threatens Financial Aid

"Another budget, another fight!" These are the words of Carolyn Sabatino, Editor, in the West Virginia Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators' Newsletter. This may leave you wondering, so what? This is an old story. But this time it directly affects GSC students in a vital way. Please, give this your close attention!

The President's proposed FY (fiscal year) <sup>8</sup>88 budget calls for major cuts in federal funding of student aid. According to August Kafer, Director of Financial Aid here at GSC, "If the administration's proposal passes, it would be the most drastic cut since the financial aid program's inception."

Just to highlight how a few of the student aid programs would be affected: SEOG, CWS, and Direct Loans would to totally zeroed out; both PELL and GSL would be drastically reduced.

In the case of PELL, the budget proposal would involve a funding level of \$2,71 billion, or \$1.09 billion less than FY '87 appropriations. The maximum grant would be \$2,100 and awards to students from families with incomes over \$20,000 would be *eliminated* altogether. According to a computer-search performed at GSC, this \$20,000 ceiling would affect approximately 42 of the 650 students who applied for PELL grants in the 85-86 school year. The funding for GSL loans would stand at \$1.177 billion, a \$1.827 billion reduction from FY 87 appropriations.

The FY 88 proposal would eliminate \$412.5 million in SEOG, doing away with 720,000 awards, and \$592.5 million for CWS, affecting approximately 222,400 students.

These may be just statistics, but every GSC student will be affected in some way by the FY 88 budget proposal. Please don't be complacent about these proposed cuts. Within the next month, take a few minutes out of your busy schedule to contact your congressmen. Your future status at GSC (or any other institution of higher learning) may depend on it. For your convenience, the WV congressmen are listed below. If you have any questions, please see Mr. Kafer, or call him at ext. 131.

Robert C. Byrd U. S. Senator 311 Hart Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510

John D. Rockefeller, IV U. S. Senator 241 Dirksey Bldg. Washington, DC 20510

Allen B. Mollahan U. S. Representative 516 Cannon House Bldg. Washington, DC 20510

Harley O. Staggers U. S. Represenative 1229 Longworth House Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510

Robert E. Wise U. S. Representative 1725 Longworth House Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510

Nick Joe Rahall, II U. S. Representative 440 Cannon House Office Bldg. Washington, DC 20510 by Harriet Whipkey

## Comedian Performs Magic

Wednesday, March 4, 1987

The 1986 Campus Entertainer of the Year, Tom De Luca, will be appearing from 8-10 p.m. in the Glenville State Colllege Auditorium on Wednesday March 11, 1987. Admission is free to students, staff and faculty family members courtesy of the Student Congress.

Comedian/Magician, Tom De Luca has a Master's degree in Psychology from Sanganon State University. His act is well known in Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin and throughout the Midwest. He is a hypnotist, a magician and he uses what he calls BSP (a human parody of ESP) to enhance his comedy routine.

He works with his props and the audience to be what one former attendee claims "the funniest man alive." He is "hiliarious, hypnotic, always fresh, always original,

#### Percussion Ensemble to Perform

Glenville State College Band Director John McKinney is announcing a Glenville State College Percussion Ensemble Concert Tuesday, March 10, 1987, at 8:00 p.m. in the college auditorium. The concert is open to the campus and public at no charge.

The first section of the concert will include traditional percussion ensemble music as well as light classics and rag time.

The second section includes popular tunes from The Pointer Sisters, Huey

another type of childrens'

theatre. Story Theatre

combines Aesop's Fables and

tales from the Brothers

Grimm. If you enjoy telling

stories or showing off, plan to

attend auditions next week.

Story Theatre is a high-

Lewis and the News, and The Beaters. The movies "St. Elmos's Fire," "Footloose," and other television title songs will also be included.

Tom DeLuca

always the one person you ask

This admission - free

performance by the Campus Entertainer of the Year, Tom

De Luca, on March 11, 1987

from 8-10 p.m. will include

two segements; magic,

comedy and BSP; and working with the audience.

by Minnie McNemar

for again and again.

Members of the Percussion Ensemble include: Greg Metz, Richard Dorsey, John Bugby, Padraic Burns, Mike Fling, Jerry Jenks, Kevin Davisson, John Walkup, Jeff Ware, Yvonne Youngblood, Sandra Simers, Debra Heiney, Mary Kay Jones, Johanna Fitzwater, Denise Davis, Rhonda Simmons, and John Curran.

## Chi's Revive Tradition

It took 22 hours for the seven Lambda Chi's to complete the 89 mile trip to Charleston. The trip took so long because dribbling a basketball is a somewhat slower method of locomotion than driving a car.

Dribbling the ball to the tournaments was a Theta Xi fraternity tradition. They started the dribbling trip in memoriam for a fraternity brother who was killed in a car wreck on the way to the tournaments. Since the Theta Xi's have become defunct, the Lambda Chi's have picked up the activity. This was the first time in three years the ball dribble

#### has occurred.

Eight Glenville Lambda Chi's - Aaron Woodhouse, Eugene Deem, Casey Hess, Rodney Dingess, Dwayne Booth, Jesse Skiles, Andy Jarrell, and Jimmy Dean participated in the dribbling event. The latter two, Andy and Jimmy, dribbled the sphere the entire way to Charleston, while the others alternated.

After the grueling trek down Route 33 to Spencer and then route 119 to Charleston, the guys ended with Aaron Woodhouse's slam dunk in the Civic Center. by L. J. McHenry The Office of Career Planning and Placement is sponsoring two teacher Interview Days this spring. The first will be on March 6 and the second one will be March 27. Interested students who have completed students teaching and plan to graduate in May or the summer of 1987 should see Janet Gainer in the Placement Office.

The deadline for the Trillium is March 6. Please submit artwork, photographs, short stories, and poetry to Dr. Barbara Tedford in the Language Division.



The audition dates are March 11 and 12 at 6:00 p.m. The show dates are April 9-11 at 8:00 p.m.

You don't have to be an actor! Just come and plan on having a good time.

### Guest Editorial:

# Jesse's Place... at the WVIAC Tournament

For the second straight season Glenville State sent both of their basketball teams to the Final Four of the WVIAC. This year, Glenville was the only school to accomplish this feat. As a fan (and a sportswriter), it is nice to go down to Charleston and see our teams play eight times instead of twice.

Here is a look at the week through the eyes of a Pioneer fan. This year my week was altered by the fact that I am student teaching at Braxton County High School, a good 67 miles away from the tournament. Nevertheless, it was a week of fun and frolic down in Charleston. Which is, as Bruce Springsteen would say, "My Hometown."

Tuesday, February 24 - I scooted down I-79 immediately after school to catch the Lady Pioneers in first round action and the trip was well worth it. The Ladies pulled away in the final ten minutes to down Shepherd 76-68.

Later in the evening, my fraternity brothers began dribbling a basketball from Glenville to Charleston.

Wednesday, February 25 - After dribbling a basketball for eleven miles, I went inside and enjoyed a super basketball game. The Pioneers pulled out a thriller over Wheeling on Paul Grier's 3-pointer in overtime. Every cop in the Civic Center anchored both ends of the Glenville cheering section...no lie. I celebrated the day when I arrived home by checking out my Sports Illustrated swimsuit issue.

Thursday - February 26 - A beautiful day. To begin with, the Lady Pioneers pulled a major upset over number one Bluefield, 68-64. Amazingly, this was followed by a GSC upset over number two Charleston in the men's game, 79-72. Glenville's two victories came despite the fact that our teams were heavy underdogs.

Friday - February 27 - This day will be remembered as a day of comebacks. The Lady Pioneers managed to complete theirs, while the Pioneers came inches short. The Ladies' comeback culminated in a 68-67 double overtime victory over Salem to propel them into the championship game. Down 13 with only 1:09 left, the Pioneers very nearly pulled out a tie against Bluefield, but Paul Grier's threepoint attempt with only nine-seconds left rimmed the basket.

Saturday, February 28 - I woke up with a fever of 102° and things went downhill after that. The Lady Pioneers were defeated by Concord 63-51 in the women's championship game, while the men fell to Tech in the consolation game, 103-70. The day was not eventful, though.

Between games, the Charleston Town Center was crawling with Glenville folks. I saw former Glenville SID Kenny Osborne who traveled 144 miles to catch the Pioneers. I also saw Greg Reed, who was a member of last year's Pioneer squad. The good-natured Reed gave me the quote of the week by saying "last year I had a better seat for the action."

Then there was the case of poor Tim Collins. Tim experienced the thrill of scoring in a West Virginia Conference Tournament only to have his name announced as "Tom"...like the drink.

As I was going home after the consolation game, my feeling of sickness was only overtaken by my feelings of sadness. This was my last tournament as a college student, and the end is tough. There are so many memories...not just of the tournament, but of the college years in general. There are so many wonderful people here. It is true that my home is Charleston, but my heart is certainly in Glenville.

#### Jesse Skiles Sports Editor

# Letters

Letters to the Editor should be signed and delivered to the Mercury office in a sealed envelope to insure confidentiality. All letters will be printed exactly as received. Spelling, punctuation, and grammatical errors will not be corrected. Please proofread your letter to avoid embarrassment.

#### Dear Editor,

This is nothing about the school. Its just to reach all the students at GSC.

I was driving by a little place. Down south in W VA. And I spotted a few people standing around a small spot on a baseball field.

It didn't look too bad. All I thought it was, was a bunch of kids. Until I saw the bike!

I went over and ask a real close friend of mine what was going on. He looked at me and told me what had happened.

The boy had been drinking. He was just driving along and was so intoxicated that he couldn't control the bike, so he hit the bleachers. You know how the bleachers at a field are made? from highest to lowest bleacher?

He hit the bleachers and it just ripped him to shredds. There were pieces of skin and hair on the bike! So, my friend takes me over and the paremedics were looking him over. One of them looked at him and asked if he could hear him, the guy said nothing, but his heart was beating.

He was laying on the ground on his right side. So the paremedics move him over, and his face on the right side was completely wiped away. Just like chalk off a blackboard!

Why do people drive drunk when they know that it's dangerous? I know that it's not safe all the time! You only have a 50/50 chance of surviving by just getting in your car and going to work or to the grocery store or even pulling out of your driveway. But all these people say, "Oh! I'm fine I can drive with my eyes closed!" That is a lot of bull!

How would you feel if one of your best friends or your sister or brother was to get killed by a drunk driver or driving drunk themselves? It would hurt you very bad, wouldn't it? You don't stop until it happens to you or the one you love. All I ask is to think about it. I don't know about you but I would rather stand on my own 2 feet and live my full life than get scraped up off of the assfault after trying to drive drunk. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely, Concerned about my fellow men/women Freddie K.

#### Dear Editor,

Did you go to the tourney? A lot of drunk Glenville kids did! After all, the first couple days were a good excuse for a roadtrip and party. I couldn't help notice, however, that these "loyal" GSC fans were not present at Saturday's game. Guess they ran out of booze bucks huh? Sure, that's the ticket, its fine while we got money and the team can be #1 but woe if they lose a game, I'll stay home and shotgun some brewskys.

Well I can understand our party campuse's disgrunted attitude, after all, the girls only came in 2nd, the boys 4th, and the cheerleaders didn't place. Disregaurd the number of players who received all conference and tourney awards, the two cheerleaders who won all conference, and our mascot who got all conference. After all, if we don't win, we don't have a reason to fall on our face and increase the credibility of our school.

Oh well, maybe the track team will do better so we can party, or maybe the wind will blow eeh?

#### Zorro,

I was there the whole time (sober), were YOU! p.s. Get crazy without the price of alcohol.

Dear Editor,

This is in response to the letters involving studentatheletes over the past three weeks.

First, I have to question just how accurate all of these eyewitness accounts have been.

1. Did you really hear a coach promise he would have a grade changed or did you just hear something in passing and decided to come up with your own version of the story?

2. Did you really witness the three athletes cheating on their literature exam or is this just something that you cont. on pg. 6

#### THE GLENVILLE MERCURY

THE GLENVILLE MERCORY		
Editor-in-Chief	Greg Starcher	
Associate Editor		
Feature Editor	L.J. McHenry	
Sports Editor		
Copy Editor	Lesa Hendershot	
Photographic Editor		
Photographer	Bill Ramsey	
Cartoonist	Craig Drennen	
Advertising Manager	Bill Church	
Headline Technician		
Sports Reporter	Scott Johnson	
Reporters	Cindy Houston	
Tinya Harl, Minnie McNen	nar, Harriet Whipkey	
Typists	Barbie Nichols	
	en, Harriet Whipkey	
Circulation Manager	Shawn Shockey	
Advisor	Yvonne King	

THE GLENVILLE MERCURY is published weekly during the school year for \$5 per year by Glenville State College, 200 High Street, Glenville, WV 26351. Second class postage paid at Glenville, WV. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to THE GLENVILLE MERCURY, Box 161, Glenville State College, Glenville, WV 26351.



# **SPORTS** Pioneers Go To Final Four, Finish Strong

#### by Jesse Skiles

For the second straight season, the Glenville State Pioneers advanced to the Final Four of the WVIAC Tournament. They got there with a 73-70 overtime victory against Wheeling and a 79-72 win over the University of Charleston. They were defeated in the semi-finals by Bluefield 92-87, and by Tech in the consolation game 103-. 70.

Nottingham attributed the two victories to solid team defense, "Teams just don't shoot as well down there in the Civic Center, so generally the better defensive teams come out on top. The two games we played good defense we won, the two we didn't, we lost," Nottingham There were also said. offensive fireworks from Matt Bullett who poured in 126 points in the four games for an average of 31.5 points per game.

As far as individual defensive performances go, Paul Grier was the stand out. He did an excellent job on Wheeling's Bryant Houston and Charleston star Keith Nottingham also Tyler. commented on the role play of Todd Smith, and John Harris (who came off the bench). Rudy Watts was his usual consistent self in wins and freshman Mike Hughes enjoyed his tourney as a spot starter for the Pioneers.

Pioneer defensive superiority was very evident if you look at the shooting percentages of the opponents in the two victories. Wheeling only managed to shoot 42% from the floor while the Pioneers held Charleston to a paltry 38%. To add to the Wheeling victory, Glenville shot a blistering 75% in the second half.

Glenville fell to Bluefield in the semi-finals 92-87, and Nottingham simply said "we ran out of gas." Despite a torrid comeback in the game's final minute, the Pioneers were unable to overtake the Big Blues. Nottingham cited possible emotional drainage from the

UC game and a poor defensive effort in the first half as primary factors in the loss.

The week ended with Glenville losing to Tech in the consolation game, 103-70, I'd rather not write about this game because it was a tough night for GSC in what was an otherwise super week.

#### by Scott Johnson Glenville 73 Wheeling 70 (OT)

Paul Grier came up with a crucial steal and hit a 3-point field goal to lead Glenville to a 73-70 triumph over the upset minded Cardinals of Wheeling Wednesday night.

The first half saw the Pioneers lead the Cards 24-19 before Wheeling went on a 11-2 run for a 30-26 half-time advantage.

As the second half started, Wheeling stretched their lead to 36-28 at the 15:44 mark. The Pioneers then rallied and pulled within one several times. Rudy Watts tied the score at 56-56 on a charity toss with 2:36 left. The Pioneers then scored four straight but a Cardinal 3-pointer tied the game at 62 at the 11 second count.

The overtime period was wild, as the lead changed hands five times until senior Matt Bullett tied the game for the Pioneers at 70-70. After a Wheeling turnover Glenville attempted to hold for one shot but the Cardinals stole the ball with 14 seconds left. Joe Gandee then swatted the ball away from the Cardinal player and Paul Grier picked it up and fired in the game winner.

Matt Bullett finished the game with 33 points and seven rebounds. Paul Grier notched 14 markers and had three assists. Rudy Watts had 13 tallies and also garnered seven caroms.

#### Glenville 79 Charleston 72

For the second time this season the Glenville State Pioneers upended the University of Charleston. The Pioneers came out and took control and were able to stun the WVC's number two



Pioneers Matt Bullett (22), Rudy Watts (34), and John Jividen in action the secound half against Wheeling.

photo by Kris Rogers

seeded team.

Glenville was able to take advantage of Charleston's poor field goal shooting which bolted them to a 45-39 half time lead. The poor field goal shooting continued the second half for Charleston, and the Pioneers cooled off, but the Pioneers were able to hold on for the win.

Glenville was led by Matt Bullett with 31 markers. Paul Grier and John Harris contributed 16 and 14, respectively, along with 9 rebounds from the duo. Todd Smith added eight tallies and a dozen rebounds, while Rudy Watts had eight tallies and eight rebounds.

#### Bluefield 92 Glenville 87

Down to Bluefield by 13, 90-77, with 1:09 remaining in the game, a person would call on God for a miracle to put the Pioneers in the championship game of the WVIAC tournament. So it was just to be a minor miracle as the Pioneers rallied to a 90-87 deficit with still 34 ticks on the clock. Many of the fans had already filed out of the Civic Center, but they may have been smart. After a Bluefield free throw miss the Pioneers attacked and Paul Grier fired a 3-point shot to tie. As the ball banged off the

rim, the Blues grabbed it, and sunk two foul shots, the score may as well have been 100-10.

The Pioneers trailed 55-42 at the half and rallied early in the second half but could not tie. Bluefield held off another Pioneer rally midway and were once again cruising. In the last 1:09 Matt Bullett showed seniority as he hit two 3-pointers and a 2point shot. After a missed free throw by Bullett, freshman Mike Hughes hit the shot to pull the Pioneers to 90-87.

Matt Bullett finished the game with 39 markers and 10 rebounds, both game-highs. Rudy Watt contributed 23 points and nine boards while John Harris hit 14.

cont. on pg. 5

# A Little Chat With Rudy and Matt

Scott Johnson: You just ended your career at GSC, how do you feel you have done throughout?

Matt: I have grown up and matured. I never used to listen to Coach, but I learned he knew best. I wanted people to know me. I just want to be the best I can be. Rudy: I did alright, I had a good career and I will miss it. SJ: Do you feel you got the education you wanted?

Matt: Education wise, yes. Rudy: Yes, I did.

SJ: Both of you set standards here, what was the highlight of your career though? Matt: The highlight was this

Matt: The highlight was this year's tournament when, after warm-ups, I grabbed a ball on the way to the locker room and threw it over my head and swished it in the basket behind me.

Rudy: My sophomore year I had a 26 point game and shot 10-13 from the field and 6-6 to the line, and Rio Grande when I had 31. I was happy with my play both nights. SJ: After you graduate, what are your plans?

Matt: I hope to play pro ball. Rudy: I hope to play somewhere, either the CBA or in Europe. I want to get a good job.

SJ: What will you miss about GSC?

Matt: I will miss the players and being with my friends. Rudy: I will miss basketball the most, and the tournaments, I will also miss the fun I had here.

cont. on pg. 4

# Ladies Pull Together, Finish as Tourney Runner-Up

#### by Jesse Skiles

Some teams go to Charleston to close out successful seasons...others go to Charleston in hopes of "saving" their seasons. For the first time in a long time, Glenville's Lady Pioneers ventured to the tournament in order to save their season.

And save it they did! As a matter of fact they almost won the darn thing. They defeated Shepherd 76-68, top ranked Bluefield 68-64, Salem 68-67 in double overtime, then fell in the finals to Concord 63-51.

Lady Pioneer head coach Tim Carney was pleased with the tournament for several reasons. The coach elaborated by saying "Number one, I was very happy for things to end this way for Rhonda (Hicks) and They Marsha (Shrader). realize the importance of the team concept, and have enjoyed fine careers. Secondly, I hope the kids coming back have learned the importance of hanging together, and the fact that they have the talent to reach their goals."

Carney attributed the three victories to several aspects of the Lady Pioneer game. He pointed to a balanced, team-oriented offense and a hustling, aggressive defense. The Bluefield and Salem wins were tightly contested and down to the wire.

Concerning the loss in the finals, Carney had several answers. The team was tired (perhaps emotionally as well after the Salem game) and the loss of Karen Wooters (to an ankle injury) turned out to be a crucial blow. Concord changed to a zone defense with Glenville up at 15-12, and immediately made a charge. The zone remained successful throughout the contest as the Ladies continued to miss from the outside...perhaps Wooters could have taken care of that.

#### by Scott Johnson

Glenville 76 Shepherd 68 Monique Johnson had the performance of a superstar as she connected for a game

high 32 points to lead the Lady Pioneers to a 76-68 opening round victory in the WVIAC Tournament.

The first half of the game saw the Lady Pioneers and Shepherd play head to head for the full twenty minutes. After the dust had cleared, Glenville led 36-33, at the half. The second twenty minutes saw much of the same as the Lady Pioneers went on to win 76-68.

Supporting Monique's output were Kim Creel with 18 points, Niki Randolph with 11 markers and four assists, and Tammy Pence with seven tallies and nine rebounds.

#### Glenville 68 Bluefield 64

The Lady Pioneers came out of the gates quickly Thursday against numberone seeded Bluefield to pull off a stunning upset.

The Lady Pioneers grabbed a quick 4-0 lead and then were up 14-9 with 13:51 left in the first half. Tammy Pence then led a Glenville charge as the Lady Pioneers went up 28-19 with 5:03 left. The Lady Pioneers took a 38-30 lead into the locker room at the half. An early Glenville surge in the second half gave the Lady Pioneers a 46-34 lead, and later at 52-39, the largest of the game. A Bluefield rally cut the lead to 57-54 with 6:07 remaining. Kim Creel fouled out at 4:24 with the score 61-57. Karen Wooters and Monique Johnson then hit for two to pull the lead back out to 65-58. The rest of the way saw only nine points scored with Glenville winning 68-64.

Kim Creel and Monique Johnson led the Lady Pioneers with 20 and 17 markers respectively. Tammy Pence hit for a dozen and snared nine rebounds for the winners.

#### Glenville 68 Salem 67 (2 OT's)

Friday afternoon saw one of the best games of the WVIAC Tournament pitting the Tigers of Salem against the Lady Pioneers. After a double overtime game the Lady Pioneers had found themselves in the final after their 68-67 win.

Monique Johnson goes up for two of her 32 points against Shepherd.

In the first half, the Lady Pioneers saw Salem get the best of them. The Tigers took a slim 30-26 half-time lead into the locker room. The second half saw a nipand-tuck battle until Tammy Pence hit a lay-up off a steal with time running out. The Tigers were unable to score and the 58-58 tie had to be broken.

The first overtime saw both teams hang tough and force a second overtime. The second overtime saw the Lady Pioneers open up a 68-65 lead, before Salem cut it to With 0:32 left, 68-67. Glenville held the ball for the 30-second shot clock time With 0:02 left, allotted. Salem attempted to inbound from the far end of the court. The Lady Pioneers tipped the pass and the ball bounced away harmlessly.

The Lady Pioneers were led by Monique Johnson with 24 points and 13 rebounds. Tammy Pence added 17 markers and nine bounds, while Kim Creel was busy with 15 markers and 14 rebounds.

#### Concord 63 Glenville 51

The Lady Pioneers entered the championship game with momentum, having knocked off number one Bluefield, and Salem in overtime. That momentum was soon gone as Concord jumped on the Glenville squad early.

Concord had bounced out to a 29-22 lead due to the Pioneers' 33 percent field goal shooting. Concord was also able to control the boards and get several second chances.

The second half saw one of the worst shooting performances by the Lady Pioneer team as they shot a dismal 29 percent. Despite this factor, they were able to stay fairly close but were never able to rally and Concord won 63-51.

The runner-up was led by Kim Creel with 16 points and a dozen rebounds. Tammy Pence hit the nets for 12 and Monique Johnson hit for 11. Marsha Shrader, Karen Wooters, and Niki Randolph had four apiece with Niki dishing off four assists.

#### photo by Bill Ramsey

## cont. from pg. 3

SJ: Matt, you finished in the top of NAIA scoring, and played in front of NBA scouts at the tournament, do you think you will be drafted?

Matt: I should be, if not I can play in the CBA.

SJ: If you got drafted, would you want to go to a particular team?

Matt: No, I would play for any team who wanted me.

SJ: Rudy, you played beside Matt for four years, do you regret this?

Rudy: No, it doesn't bother me. I knew when Matt wasn't on, I had to pick up the slack. We played all four years and grew as players and friends. We are team players.

#### 

REB 597	REB
No. 13 on all time GSC list.	No. 9 on all time GSC list.
1987 totals	1987 totals
PTS 953	PTS 557
31.7 avg.	17.9 avg.
REB 199	REB 259
6.4 avg.	8.6 avg.
Assists 58	Assists 53
1.9 avg.	1.7 avg.
39 dunks	3 dunks
**	***

## Dent Misses All-American by Only .57 Seconds

by Scott Johnson

Bubby Dent represented Glenville State College last weekend at the National Track Meet in Kansas City, Mo. Bubby ran with thirtyone other hopefuls Friday and finished sixth with a 1:57.23. That run qualified Bubby for the finals Saturday.

Saturday, Dent ran a 1:57.34 for a seventh place finish. Bubby finished fivetenths of a second behind the sixth place runner, the final All-American.

Bubby stated, "I ran as good as I could have. I felt good Friday, but Saturday I felt a little tight. ESPN was taping the event and I felt some pressure. I couldn't eat while I was there, but I improved from last year and if I keep improving I should win."

Spring track is almost here

# TRADE MELAN

**Bubby Dent** 

and Bubby said he will "shoot for the national in the 1500 and 800 meter runs." Bubby had the third fastest 1500 meter time last year in the nation, but was unable to attend the national meet because UC was on probation. Hopefully this year will be his best yet.

#### GAME SUMMARIES

cont. from pg. 3

WV Tech 103 Glenville 70

The WVIAC consolation game was all Tech Saturday night, as the Golden Bears romped by Glenville 103-70. The Pioneers had bested the Bears twice in the regular season.

The first half saw Glenville shooting an ice cold 36 percent from the field. This enabled Tech to take a 52-35 half-time lead. The second half was much the same as the Bears went on to an uncontested victory.

The whole Pioneer bench saw action as the game reached its merciful close.





#### by Jesse Skiles

Glenville's season this year was a lot like last years'. Both seasons saw the Pioneers finish the regular season with a 15-12 record, and close the tournament with a 17-14 mark.

#### ...

Gary Nottingham now has a 62-57 career mark in his four years as head coach. He has done an excellent job in making Glenville one of the top programs in the conference. He is the first Glenville coach to attain 60 wins in his first four years, and that includes the legendary Nate Rohrbough. The Pioneers have been among the league's top four in three of Nottingham's four seasons.

#### The excellent showing in Charleston by the Lady Pioneers enabled them to snag their eleventh winning season in a row. Tim Carney entered the season as the 24th winningest active women's coach in the land. His career record is now 129-66.

#### ...

I must admit, I really was not expecting either of our teams to get into the Final Four. With number two Charleston in front of the men, and number one Bluefield in front of the women, I was just praying that one of them could pull off an upset. As a matter of fact, I had already made tentative plans to travel to Wheeling on Friday for the state wrestling tournament. It turned out that both squads pulled upsets and it was a super week for Pioneer fans.

#### \*\*\*

Matt Bullett was named to the All-Tournament Team after pouring in 126 points. His tournament performances included games of 31,33,39, and 23 points. The balanced attack by the Lady Pioneers enabled them to put three on the squad ..... Monique Johnson, Kim Creel, and Tammy Pence. This season marks Glenville's first back-toback winning seasons since 1977 and 1978, and the first back-to-back Final Four appearances since 1972 and 1973. The Lady Pioneers have now been in three consecutive Final Fours and six of the last eight.

#### ...

Saturday's women's final drew a crowd of 1381. The largest, ever for a WVIAC women's contest.

#### \*\*\*

Matt Bullett scored his 2000th career point Thursday night in the University of Charleston victory. A published report in Sunday's Parkersburg News indicated that Bullett's 31.7 average has placed him second in the nation.

Monique Johnson scored 84 points in the tournament to give her 612 for the season. Only a sophomore, Johnson is on a pace that would put her ahead of the all-time Lady Pioneer scorer Bunny Taylor who had 1440

....



Help Wanted Excellent Income for part time home assembly work.

For information call 312-741-8400 Ext. 1746. 3/11





عصصص



cont. from pg. 2

heard through the grapevine?

I could write a list a mile long of promises that were made to atheletes I played ball with. The truth of the matter is that these "socalled" promises were only good until the athlete left the coaches office. As a matter of fact I could list a number of potential college graduates that were forced to leave Glenville because of financial promises that were not kept. So, I question just how accurte this story could be.

Also, if you really witnessed someone cheating on an exam than you should have done something about it at the time. By not going to the professor that tells me



Gold cameo ring. If found please contact Terri in Rm. 301. Substantial reward.

ost

that you approved of what was going on and that you did not want to do anything about it or that maybe it really didn't happen like this afterall. So tell me, if this story is true and if you were so outraged, why didn't you do something at the time.

In closing I have one last thought. If both of these incidents did actually happen, and it really upsets you, why don't you really take a stand and sign your name to these letters. If you don't have enough about you that you won't sign your own letters than how about not wasting our time with them.

Respectfully, Ronald E. Lane

P.S. Did you ever think about writing for the National Enquirer!

Delta Zeta The Theta Xi Chapter of the Delta Zeta Sorority held a formal meeting on February 23, 1987. They collected for the Heart Fund on Sunday, February 22. We will be selling a \$25.00 chance for which you may win \$2,000.00. President Simmons will draw the winning ticket on March

The Glenville Mercury

#### Order of Diana

11, 1987.

The weekly meeting of the Order of Diana was held at 5:45, Tuesday, February 24 in the Wesley Foundtion.

We would like to welcome our new pledges - Paula Ball, Kim Hall, Mary Alice Maher, Lisa Pickens, Rhonda Simmons, and Violet Smith. God luck with your boards girls.

Congratulations to the **Pioneers and Lady Pioneers** on their performance at the tournaments. You did a great job and we're proud of you! Congratulations also to the GSC cheerleaders. You did an excellent floor show!

Thanks to all O.D.'s and TKE's who attended the game and wore their shirts...also to the pledges in red.

Sigma Sigma Sigma

The Delta Alpha chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma held an informal meeting on February 25, 1987 at 9:30 p.m. The awards presented this week: Sigma Sweetheart -Muffy and Diedra Burrows; Cultured Pearl - Patty Tice, Charlene Cole, and Vicky Phillips: Sis of the Week -Debbie Foust: and the Pledges - Cathy Sears, Linda Schick, Linda Malcomb, and Shelly Walkup, and Tracy Daughtery.

rganizations

Thanks to everyone who flew Sigma Airline Saturday. OPM award goes to Charlene Cole, Patty Tice, and Laura Hoffman.

Good luck to Tracy on her recital.

#### **Tau Kappa Epsilon**

Tau Kappa Epsilon had its weekly meeting on Feb. 23, a hoagie sale was discussed and passed for the coming week. A softball tournament was scheduled for April and the picnic date has been set for April 15 at Cedar Creek Park. a rain date has not been set. The Red Barons play the AIA's in the first round of the Intramural Basketball Tournament. It was a good road trip to the tournaments. A inter-fraternity keg slam basketball game will be held the first warm week in April. Big Brothers are reminded to buy little bro's their shirts. and Lil bro's should have already started on pledge paddles. Also, on Sat., Feb. 28, Jerry Burkhammer represented the TKE's at a Braxton Co. Special Olympics Fund Raiser helping out with volunteer work and helping the organization raise over \$400.00 for the kids. Thanks goes out to Michelle Whited for also

Wednesday, March 4, 1987

making that trip and helping out with volunteer work.

#### Lambda Chi Alpha

The brothers of Lambda Chi Alpha held their weekly meeting Sunday at 8:00 in the Wesley Foundation.

Starting next Sunday all officers should have reports to hand into Robb to be posted on the board.

Associates have a Kappa meeting Thursday at 8:15 in AB 301.

Congratulations to Bubby Dent for his fine performance at the track meet in Kansas City this weekend.

Anyone who wants to attend the General Assembly at Memphis State this summer should see Robb.

Congratulations to the men's and women's basketball teams for their excellent play in the tournament.

Awards for the week are, KCUF - everyone who helped dribble the basketball to Charleston for the tournament, and Bubby Dent. POW - Jim Wine, AH - Darrin Jackson, WINO - Andy Jarrell.

#### \$20 Reward

To anyone who returns a burgundy briefcase with music and metronome inside. Any help would be greatly appreciated. If found, please return to A.B. 214 or call 462-5954 and ask for Rm. 207. Thank you.

#### A FEW SPARE HOURS?

Receive/Forward mail from home! Uncle Sam works hard You pocket hundreds honestly! Details, send selfaddressed, stamped envelope Beduya Company 8250 E. Golf Links Rd., No.197, P.O. Box 17145 Tucson, AZ 85731

Furnished For Rent: 2 bedroom luxury apartment. Spotlessly clean. Quiet. Complete privacy. Air conditioned. New furniture. Beautiful grounds. Parking. Rent \$260. Save money with a roommate. Bungalow Village, Glenville, 462-7796.

# Introducing the Campus Co-Op SWEEPSTAKES

#### March 3, through March 10

1st Prize - Dinner for two at Sadrettres (\$20.00 limit) 2nd Prize - A Sweat Shirt of your choice with Free lettering 3rd Prize - A T-Shirt of any choice with Free lettering

To enter just fill out the entry form and bring it to the Campus Co-Op or mail it to G.S.C. Campus Co-Op, 200 High Street, Glenville, WV 26351. Forms must be received by March 9, 1987. Winners will be selected at random by Mr. Earnest Smith chairman of the Division of Business on

ENTRY FORM	EAST MAIN GLENV
MR/MRS/Ms	9 a.m9 j Monday
CITYSTATE ZIP	- 10:30 a.m SPECIAL
and the second	



.m. thru Saturday

LS THURSDAY thru WEDNESDAYS